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NOTICE OF APPEAL AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

SIR:

Applicants hereby appeal the Examiner's decision made in the Final Office Action dated May 6, 2010, finally rejecting claims 1, 2, 4-9 and 11-13. Applicants also respectfully request a **two-month extension of time** in which to file the Notice of Appeal from the Final Office Action of May 6, 2010, for which a response period was set to expire on August 6, 2010. The three-month extended period for response expires on October 6, 2010.

Applicants previously petitioned for a **one-month extension of time** and authorized payment of the associated fee with the filing of the Amendment dated May 6, 2010. Therefore, the fee for obtaining the two-month extension of time is believed to be \$360 (\$490 less \$130 already paid).

The \$900 fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) extension fee of \$360 and the 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(1) Notice of Appeal fee of \$540) is being paid by credit card. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, Deposit Account No. 11-0600, payment of any additional fees required in connection with this communication or arising during the pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Respectfully submitted,

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